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## **Attention Provider Type 74: Codes Billable by Nurse Midwives**

Some procedure codes billed by provider type 74 (Nurse Midwife) are currently denying inappropriately. The claims processing system is being updated to allow PT 74 to be reimbursed appropriately. Claims for the codes will continue to deny until the system is updated. Please submit your claims as usual even though they will deny. You will not need to resubmit the claims after they deny, because the affected claims with dates of service on or after March 1, 2016, will be automatically reprocessed. Providers will be notified in future web announcements when the codes are updated and will no longer deny, and when the claims will be reprocessed.